To: Superintendents, Principals, Directors of Technology, School Data Personnel

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Subject: Milestone Dates for Data Exchange Implementation

Data Exchange Important Upcoming Dates
The following dates are critical for all Indiana traditional public schools, public charter schools, accredited non-public schools (choice and non-choice) in preparation for certification of school data in the new Data Exchange system. Schools will be connecting to Data Exchange via their Indiana Ed-Fi Certified SIS vendor. A SIS Vendor Certification Status list can be found HERE. Additional information on implementation of Data Exchange can be found on the Data Exchange website. **Please note:** *SIS vendors need to certify for Data Exchange every year. SIS vendors which certified last year (for 2020-2021 and the data submission which just concluded) will need to certify again for the 2021-2022 school year. This is necessary to ensure all SIS providers in Indiana are keeping up with Indiana's data requirements.*

2021-2022 School Year

July 1, 2021
Data Exchange is now the source of truth for school reporting for the 2021-2022 school year and beyond. It is expected that all schools are working with a SIS vendor that is committed to Indiana Ed-Fi certification. Schools should work with their SIS vendor to understand appropriate timing for annual rollover processes and impact on Data Exchange. System access, key contacts and certified data will be sourced from the Data Exchange.

August 1, 2021
Schools should verify their SIS vendor is certifying for 2022 requirements for reporting in Data Exchange. If the SIS vendor is not yet in the certifying phase or is not on the Vendor Certification Status list, schools need to contact their vendor to understand the vendor's commitment to becoming Indiana Ed-Fi Certified for 2022.

The following data will be certified via Data Exchange for SY 2021-2022:

Date	Data Certification in Data Exchange
September 17, 2021	Membership**
October 1, 2021	Pupil Enrollment, Curricular Materials Reimbursement, Certified Employee, English Learners, Non-Certified Employee
December 1, 2021	Special Education**
February 1, 2022	Membership**

April 1, 2022	Special Education
July 1, 2022	Calendar, Additional Student, Alternative Education, Graduate, Attendance, Certified Employee, Certified Position, Course Completion, Discipline, Homebound, Special Education Evaluation, Special Education Termination, Title I

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Certification	All schools must certify all data components through Data Exchange & App Center will be discontinued and no longer accessible
Onboarding	IDOE will onboard any new SIS vendor that becomes Indiana Ed-Fi certified or any new schools that have an Indiana Ed-Fi certified SIS Vendor
Bulk Uploads	Bulk uploads will be limited to schools without an Indiana Ed-Fi certified Student Information System or for the submission of data not supported by a school's certified system.

****Schools will be required to provide data and sign off in both STN Application Center and Data Exchange to provide comparison data and prove accuracy.

Questions about these dates or about the Data Exchange should be directed to
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